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Dearest Judge K;

Please take a careful look at the Proposed Final Judgement that the Dept of Justice is trying to foist upon the American people. It is an outrage that Microsoft - after having been found guilty time after time in American courts - is about to be let off basically scott free.

Why should the strongest and wealthiest Americans get off from obeying the law?

I have been in the software industry for almost 10 years - and I have personally seen Microsoft rip off ideas, patents, products and even entire companies. Repeatedly. But this is no different then what the courts have found. I know run a small company - and we have to tiptoe around MS all the time - as do all software companies our size.

Please protect small, independant software developers like myself. That's the great thing about our country - the rich and powerful don't always win.

thank you very much.

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